

DOWN A MINE SHAFT

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Names of the killed: ALLEN CAMERON, son of Captain Cameron, in charge.

Today's accident is the worst which has ever happened in the Calumet and Hecla mines and the calamity in the city is intense.

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Believes Lizzie Inane. TAUNTON, Mass., May 14.—It is asserted that the true inwardness of the recess of the grand jury in the Lizzie Borden case was because of Attorney General Pillsbury's desire that a commission of insanity experts should be held to determine the mental condition of Miss Borden.

Greaves Trial Postponed. NEW YORK, May 14.—A press special from Denver, Colorado, says Dr. Josephine Barnaby of Providence, Rhode Island, will not be tried on May 21.

Poisoning Case Revisited. NEW YORK, May 14.—A dispatch to the Boston Herald from New York says that the supposed poisoning of John Shann was reviewed by the examining of the body Saturday.

Rich Gold Strike. The Bakley Brothers Have Found Great Wealth Again.

Baker City, Oregon, May 14.—One of the richest gold strikes ever made in this section of the country, not excepting the famous White Swan mine, which is yielding \$1,000 per day.

Mercedita Miller Assigns. JACKSONVILLE, Ill., May 14.—Fred Kintman for many years a dealer in live stock in this county, has made an assignment.

TO SHAKE THE SOUTH

The Denmark Lynching Has Aroused the Negroes

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HIPPY'S SYMPATHIZER.

A Speculator's Vote Saved Him From a Term in Prison.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 14.—The jury in the case of Wesley C. Rippey, which disagreed yesterday, today rendered a verdict of acquittal.

CLOSING UP SALOONS.

Muscatine Feels the Effects of the Recent Dynamite Bomb.

MUSCATINE, Iowa, May 14.—No arrests have yet been made in the conspiracy cases here. Fourteen more of the saloons were closed yesterday by injunctions issued from the district court.

Fired a Church Twice.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 14.—Seranton has a sensation. Within a year the Methodist tabernacle in that city has been twice destroyed by fire.

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WASHINGTON, May 14.—The National Negro Democratic league has through its president, C. H. J. Taylor of Kansas, Secretary H. C. Smith of Alabama and chairman of the executive committee H. C. Astwood of Louisiana, addressed a letter to President Cleveland.

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AN OMINOUS SIGN.

Wherever a group of negroes are to be seen together, the chances are ten to one that they are talking about the Denmark affair, and an ominous sign is that they do not talk with the white people about it; for heretofore they have been free to complain to the white community, when they felt that they had cause.

NEGROES SELF-RELIANT.

"Fitted against these two elements, and in the minority so far as color in inquiry can discern, are the white men who contend for strict justice; for observance of the forms of law, and who desire to foster the development of the natural resources of the land by assisting the safety of the investment of capital. Though the feeling is bitter, it is not to be understood that there is imminent danger of a war of races. The negroes are acting with prudence and are discussing the affair calmly, but earnestly. They have abandoned hope of outside interference and are becoming self-reliant. Amongst other things they are discussing emigration. But faith in this is confined to a comparatively small portion of the negroes, and that is largely made up of the lowest element among them.

THE BALLOT THEIR SALVATION.

For the same reason they advise against violence, which would precipitate a race war resulting almost in extermination. But they do mean to use their powers and resources of brain and brawn and sinew in preference to a ballot that they have never attempted, and that is what the negroes are privately discussing just now. Hereafter national issues are to be nothing to them, if the leaders prevail, for they are looking after their own protection. The alliance doctrine and the new liquor dispensary law have caused schisms amongst the whites, and the negroes care little or nothing of any of these issues; they are free to vote with any element—straightout, alliance or compromise, that will do the best for them.

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Desperados and Officers Have a Fatal Fight.

OUTLAWS ELUDE CAPTURE

Sheriff Barker Was Killed on the Prairie and Deputy Mackey Fatally Injured.

HELENA, Mont., May 14.—News comes from Castle, an isolated mining camp in the northern part of the state, of a fatal conflict between sheriffs, officers and desperados. The officers made a raid on the house of William Gay and Harry Gross, suspected of extensive robbery, and found a lot of merchandise stolen from stores in neighboring towns.

BREAKS IN THE LEVEES.

Two Crevasse Appear in the Arkansas Side Below Lakeport.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 14.—The second crevasse in the Arkansas levees occurred at 6 a. m. today. This break is about four miles below the Lakeport crevasse. At 7 a. m. the Brooks Mill crevasse was fifty feet in width and widening rapidly. One hundred and forty head of cattle are crowded by the water on to the narrow stretch of levee between the two breaks and have so trampled upon the already weak levee that the entire section of embankment is reported to be very weak. It being stated officially by the secretary of the board of Mississippi commissioners, Gen. S. W. Ferguson, that other breaks in that vicinity are imminently threatened.

ADLINE HOTEL BURNED.

PHILADELPHIA, May 14.—A fire caused by a defective flue in the bakehouse of the Adline hotel badly gutted the building tonight and caused a loss estimated at about \$140,000.

WANAMAKER'S REMARKS.

At the Last Session of the International Y. M. C. A. Convention.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 14.—The international convention of the Y. M. C. A. closed tonight. A fellowship meeting was held at the Y. M. C. A. hall at 9:30 this morning, and thereafter the visitors scattered to the various churches, the pulpits of which were filled by the visiting ministers. In the afternoon a men's meeting was held at Tomlinson hall, where the principal address was made by Dr. L. W. Munhall, Ex-Pastor of General Wanamaker came in during the meeting and made a brief address. He spoke of the pleasure experienced in being present at such an enthusiastic service. He believed that the true spirit was working with them and he rejoiced, also, to see so many young men stand up, manlike, for Christ, for better life, for better prospects in both this and the infinite world. It all reminded him of a time when he was a boy, and listened to a touching sermon by a good preacher, who had his interests at heart, and whose exhortations affected him deeply.

TO AID THE RETAILER.

New York Wholesalers Have a Very Novel Scheme on Foot.

NEW YORK, May 14.—The wholesale merchants of New York have formulated a novel scheme, which is expected to revolutionize some of the present methods of doing business. The projectors say their plan will result not only in an immense gain to the retail dealers, but will also re-establish the entire system of commercial credits on a different and more uniform and substantial basis.

STILL BENNETT'S PAPER.

The New York Herald Is His Own Property and Will Be.

CHICAGO, May 14.—The report telegraphed from New York last night to the effect that James Gordon Bennett, proprietor of the New York Herald, had been compelled to relinquish in a measure the control of that paper, and the intimation that the Mackey interest had profited by the alleged arrangement, have been entirely without foundation. The only excuse for the rumor was a forced construction placed upon several unimportant circumstances, namely, a change in the wording of the headlines of the paper relating to the proprietorship, and a recent visit of Mr. Bennett to this country. These were made the basis for the assertion that Mr. Bennett's interests had become impaired through losses in the Mackey Bennett cable and the London and Paris editions of the Herald, and that he had been compelled to dispose of part of the Herald property. It may be stated on the authority of an officer of the United Press who has an intimate acquaintance of long standing in New York newspaper circles, that no such transactions have taken place, and that there has been no change in the control in the New York Herald since it passed into the hands of the present management.

TO AMEND THE LAW.

LANSHING, Mich., May 14.—Attorney General Ellis is engaged in preparing amendments to the prison bill now before the legislature, so as to remedy the defects in the old law relative to the sentence of life imprisonment.

GENERAL ARMSTRONG'S FUNERAL.

NEW YORK, May 14.—A special to the Tribune from Portsmouth, N. H., says the funeral of General George S. Armstrong took place in the memorial chapel on the Normal Institute grounds at 10 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and brought together a large body of prominent citizens, army officers and distinguished educators from the north. The church, which was crowded, was handsomely decorated with flowers. The religious services were conducted by the Rev. H. H. Primmer, chaplain of the Institute, the Rev. J. J. Grosvenor, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, and the Rev. Dr. Cheney of Boston, a lifelong acquaintance.

BOOTH IMPROVES.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Dr. St. Clair Smith visited the Player's club tonight and on leaving said that Mr. Beck's condition was improving.